Critique – Jessica Kada, Australia

Central New Jersey Bull Terrier Club - Hatboro Dog Club

Friday 6th October 2023

I was honoured to receive an invitation to judge at this prestigious show weekend in Pennsylvania. Thank you to the Central New Jersey Bull Terrier Club for the appointment. I had the privilege of judging some quality dogs, and I wish to thank all the exhibitors for the entry. The weather was kind on the Friday, I thoroughly enjoyed the assignment and was made to feel very welcome over the entire weekend.

Bull Terrier Coloured

Best of Variety

*GCHB MALAJO'S FORMULA FOR A DRAMA DEVIL, RN334337/04, 03/18/19

4 yr. old Upstanding, flashy, well-made male presented in a gleaming red & white jacket. Long, strong head, well filled with clean profile and finish. Good expression, correct mouth, and good ear placement. Strong muscled neck of good length, sweeping lines into a well laid shoulder, strong fore chest and good topline. Deep brisket, straight front with good round bone down to tight feet. Moved cleanly both ways and covered the ground well. He owned the ring today, both dog and handler were a true partnership. Well deserving of his BOV.

Best of Opposite Sex

*ALARIC STAR POWER, RN386695/02, 10/14/22

1.5 yr old eye catching, brindle & white female. An outstanding female for her age with plenty to come for her. Lovely, clean profile with packed up head, strong underjaw, slightly tight canine. Keen expression with small, well-placed ears. Muscular neck of very good length and commendable shoulder connection. Short back, lovely angulation of both the front and rear quarters. Pleasing spring of rib for her age. Strong straight bone into tight feet. Moved cleanly coming and going and was very deserving of her Winners Bitch and BOS today.

Winners Dog

*HOT SHOT HUBBUB TKN ATT RN361648/01, 03/05/21

2 yr old Red & white cobby type male. Compact in proportions, pleasing head and profile with good fill, slightly kind eye. Mouth just off. Well-muscled neck, short back, tail carried a little high at times. Straight round bone, good shoulder, and adequate rear quarters. I would prefer his feet to be tighter, pasterns firmer. Good spring of rib. Moved well both ways, held his topline on the move. Used his ears sparingly today.

Winners Bitch

*ALARIC STAR POWER, RN386695/02, 10/14/22

1.5 yr old eye catching, Brindle & white powerful yet feminine female. Lovely, clean profile with packed up head, strong underjaw, tight canine. Keen expression with small, well-placed triangular ears. Muscular neck of very good length, commendable shoulder connection. Short back, lovely angulation of both the front and rear quarters. Pleasing spring of rib for her age. Strong straight bone, tight feet. Moved cleanly coming and going, very deserving of her Winners Bitch and BOS today.

Reserve Winners Dog

*BALLY'S YOU DON'T KNOW JACK, RN384897/02

12-mth-old Red and white male, long strong head with gentle profile. Good fill under the eye. Correct bite. Well placed ears, short back, and level topline, balanced fore and rear quarters, his rear angulation could be better. Down in pasterns, loose in front. Straight round bone. Spring of rib ok for his age. Moved cleanly coming and going, loses his topline slightly on the move.

Reserve Winners Bitch

*ROCKY TOP'S CHERISH YOUR DREAMS, RN341582/02, 08/02/19

1 year old, almost solid black brindle female, heavy yet well-proportioned bitch. Well filled head, profile not quite as clean as WB, tiny eye, correct bite. Strong round bone, good spring of rib and tight feet. Balanced fore and rear quarters, her lay of shoulder could be better angled, dips just slightly behind the wither, unfortunately affecting her topline on the move.

Bull Terrier White

Best of Variety

*GCH MADCAP POLKA DOTS AND PAISLEY, RN366924/06

Super 2.5 yr old white female with red ear who caught my eye as soon as she entered the ring. Well-made, balanced in proportions and correct Bull terrier type who fills the eye. Well filled head with gentle arc, complete turn down on the nose. Keen expression and well-placed ears. Lovely length of neck into correct topline all the way to the tip of the tail. Balanced fore angulation and super well-muscled rear quarters. Commendable fore chest development for her age. Tight cat like feet with straight bone to the ground. Presented in superb condition. Moved well at all stages today, showed and handled well. Well deserving of her BOV today.

Best of Opposite Sex

*CH BALLYS SQUIGGY WHEEL GET THE GREASE, RN335742/01

3 yr old upstanding heavyweight male, compact yet balanced in proportions. Well filled head, a little broken in profile, good fill under the eye. Mouth just off. Well placed ears, muscular neck, straight topline. Good spring of rib. Balanced angulation of both the fore and rear quarters, strong round bone down to tight feet. Moved ok.

Winners Dog

BANBURY BEDROCK BYZANTINE GOLD

5 yr old white male with black eye patch, up on leg. Well balanced body lines. Gentle profile ideally would like to see more width and fill. Correct bite. Good eye and neat triangular ears which unfortunately he used sparingly. Round bone, tight feet. Overall, would like to see more power and substance in a dog of this age. His ring performance was lacking a little today, watching his handlers every move.

Winners Bitch

REQUIEM CORSAIRE ALL THAT GLITTERS IS KHROME, RN383995/03

16 mth old White female with black ears. Heavy weight female, super profile with turn down right to the tip of the nose. Mouth just off. Good fill, keen expression, and neatly placed ears.

Nice length of neck, clean top-line, tail set just slightly high. Straight round bone, deep brisket, the feet could be tighter. Her overall condition could have been better.

Reserve Winners Dog

N/A

Reserve Winners Bitch

*FORMULA'S SILVER PRINCESS FOR MALAJO, RN389323/01

16 mth old super feminine, upstanding female with clean lines. Clean sweeping profile with small eye patch and keen eye. Ideally could do with more fill under the eye. Lovely length of neck, level top line through to the tip of the tail. She is slightly upright in shoulder and moved accordingly, unfortunately struggling to get her sequence of steps together today. Tight feet, clean round bone. One to watch for the future.

Miniature Bull Terrier

Best of Variety

*GCH NOTORIUS JOY RIDE, RN372033/03

2 yr old Smart, classy and feminine white female. Good size female, well proportioned, a real little Bull Terrier in a small package. She did not stop showing, on her toes always. Good profile turned all the way to the tip of her nose, slight dip under the eye, wicked expression. Small well placed ears smack bang on top of her head. Lovely length of neck, short back, balanced angulation of both the fore and rear quarters. Clean, round bone, tight feet, steps slightly wide coming, her elbows should be tighter. She moved well at all stages today and owned the ring. Both dog and handler were a well-oiled machine, handled to perfection and well-deserved of her BOV today.

Best of Opposite Sex

*CH SUNKISSED JERSEY BOY, RN368458/03

2 yr old Red & white male, good size and compact in proportions. Overall, a well-made dog. Clean profile with good fill under the eye. Ears carried back on his head. Mouth just off. Good length of neck, short back. Good angulation of the forequarter, a little straight in hindquarter. Tight feet, straight round bone. Moved well today.

Winners Dog

*ANCHOR UP GEDUNK, RN391184/01

8 mth old White male with small mismark above his tail. Well-muscled cobby style male of good size, compact in proportions. Clean profile with keen expression and small well-placed ears. Correct bite. Well-muscled neck, short back, and good spring of rib. Balanced angulation of both the fore and rear quarters. Stands slightly wide in front, feet could be tighter. Moved well today.

Winners Bitch

*BULPIN EYE OF THE BEHOLDER, RN382509/02

16 mth old tri colour female, typey and well balanced. Head long and strong, keen eye, mouth just off. Slightly large ears. Balanced fore and rear quarters, just ever so slightly long in back, ideally would like to see more angulation of the rear. Tight feet, round bone, showed herself well today, overall, I would like to see her hold herself a little better on the move.

Reserve Winners Dog

*BULPIN KAHMINS GRAZY MAN CRAZY, RN382509/03

16 mth old black brindle & white, strong, robust male. Long, strong profile to the tip of the nose, very good fill, and strength of underjaw. Mouth fault. Well-muscled neck. Very good angulation of the fore and rear. Level topline, feet could be tighter. Unfortunately, he couldn't get his sequence of steps together and refused to use his ears today, hampering his expression. With more practice, this is a very nice dog.

Reserve Winners Bitch

N/A